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- 1. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS FROM MEMBERS OF MITI INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AFFAIRS DIVISION, FINANCE MINISTRY FOREIGN CAPITAL DIVISION, AND FOREIGN MINISTRY SECOND NORTH AMERICA DIVISION, THAT JAPAN IMPOSES NO LEGAL RESTRICTIONS ON PROVIDING THE INFORMATION DESCRIBED IN PARA 3 OF REFTEL. FURTHER, REPRESENTATIVES OF THESE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES SAY THEY BELIEVE THAT NO INFORMAL RESTRICTION EXISTS ON PROVIDING SUCH INFORMATION. FOREIGN OFFICE, HOWEVER, WOULD EXPECT TO RECEIVE IN ADVANCE AN ACCOUNT OF HOW ANY SUCH SURVEY WOULD BE CARRIED OUT.
- 2. FINANCE MINISTRY BELIEVES THAT IN NO CASE DOES A U.S. INVESTOR OWN OR CONTROL A DIRECT OR INDIRECT INTEREST OF TEN PERCENT OR MORE OF AN ENTERPRISE IN WHICH JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HAS INVESTED CAPITAL.
- 3. MITI, WHICH PREPARES ANNUALLY A SURVEY OF FOREIGN AFFILIATED ENTERPRISES IN JAPAN, HAS REQUESTED A COPY OF 1966 U.S. SURVEY FOR REFERENCE. APPRECIATE INDICATION WHETHER SURVEY IS AVAILABLE.

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